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### CIRCUIT COURT DOINGS

Regular Fall Term of That Judicial Body in Session at the Court House—A Supply of Criminal Cases.

The November term of circuit court for Oneida county opened Monday with an unusually large calendar. There were seven criminal cases and fifteen civil cases for jury trial. The first case brought to trial was that of Frank Schmidt charged with the murder of George Vieau in Gensler's saloon at Three Lakes. Much difficulty was experienced in securing a jury, several special panels being exhausted before the requisite twelve men were finally secured. This was accomplished yesterday and testimony is still being taken today.

Several cases appearing on the calendar have been disposed of as follows:

State against Joseph Wons, charge of forgery, dismissed.  
State against Joseph Wolski, abandonment, will probably not come to trial.  
State against R. R. Spooner, assault with intent to kill, continued.  
The three following criminal cases are not set for trial:  
State of Wis. vs. H. C. Morris and Eugene St. John, larceny.  
State of Wis. vs. John Rossmus, assault with intent to rape.  
State of Wis. vs. Jerome Fry, manslaughter.

Seven of the civil cases set for jury trial are:

Rudolph Donnerstag vs. J. W. Sherman.  
Catherine Schmitt vs. A. W. Brown.  
Kate Meilagh vs. City of Rhinelander.  
Thos. Duffy vs. City of Rhinelander.  
John Landry vs. Land Region Land Co.  
John Landry vs. L. H. Wheeler.  
Martin Engi vs. E. W. Burr, et al.  
Herman Wolfgram vs. Town of Schopple.

L. A. Doolittle vs. Oneida Co.  
M. H. Schroeder vs. C. H. Roemer.  
J. M. Harrison vs. Ralph L. Varney et al.

Change of venue was granted in the cases of August Appenkamp vs. Wilson & Bronson Lumber Co., and S. B. Shreve vs. John Godkin. The case of Mrs. Mary Sebastia against Geo. Marshall is settled and that of the Town of Newbold against R. M. Douglas is referred for testimony. Mabel Egan was granted a divorce from James Egan.

No disposition has been made of the balance of the court cases. After the disposition of a second criminal case it is expected some of the civil cases will be taken up in order to allow the district attorney to prepare for the balance of the criminal work.

Will Look After the Grand.

Geo. Cobb, the new resident manager of the Grand opera house, arrived in the city Monday from Ashland. Mr. Cobb is an old theatrical manager having been at the head of a number of first-class attractions. He will look after Mr. Seeger's interests here and will personally see that opera house patrons will have no complaints to make in the future. Mr. Cobb has been identified with the Ashland opera house for the past seven years and understands all the details of the business. He is a married man and will move his family here in the spring and take up his permanent residence. An earnest effort will be made to have the change in the opera house stage made for the coming attraction "Arizona" which is booked for Nov. 24.

Charley Brown Serves Best Venison.

C. J. Brown of the Windsor hotel, Canadian Spa, who brought a big buck home from Webwood on Saturday proposes to celebrate the event by the giving of a public feast some day during the week. The feast will be held at the Windsor hotel and all those who are on hand will share without money and without price the hospitality of Mr. Brown, that is if there are not so many people that there will not be enough in the 112 pounds of deer flesh to go around. Mr. Brown has ordered a big fry pan from Tio-Smith McLaren, which is now being constructed, and Tom Seamer, of the Model Bakery, has been engaged to superintend the job of roasting. The animal will be roasted whole.—Sault Ste. Marie News.

Death of Robert Freise.

Robert Freise, a man well known in this city, died early Sunday morning at St. Mary's hospital, after a six weeks' confinement with typhoid fever. Deceased was a man about thirty-six years of age and had made Rhinelander his headquarters for years. His vocation was that of a cook and before taken ill he was in the employ of Brown Bros. at their State Line camp. As near as can be ascertained he leaves no relatives. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Hildebrand undertaking rooms and interment made in Forest Home cemetery.

Mrs. D. S. Johnson of Merrill is visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. N. T. Baklan.

### DAVE GIBBS OUT.

Another instance of what modern surgery will do for injuries which under old conditions would prove fatal was evidenced by the appearance on the street Tuesday of Dave Gibbs, the man who was carried to St. Mary's hospital Monday, October 19, after having been struck by a dozen bricks or more which fell from the tower at the paper mill and crushed his skull, mutilated his body and stretched him out apparently for all time to come. Gibbs was taken to the hospital and Dr. T. R. Welch attended to his injuries which were thought by everyone to be fatal. The doctor sewed up the man's gaping wounds and performed the operation of craniotomy on his head, removing a portion of the skull and putting in its place an egg-shaped disc of ebonite bone. The operation was difficult but was successful in every way, Gibbs' condition improving from the time it was performed. His appearance on the streets Tuesday was a surprise to those who were acquainted with the nature of the injuries he sustained. His condition is normal and he will fully recover. His mind which was thought to have suffered is not impaired.

### MAIL CARRIERS COME!!

Uncle Sam will Deliver Your Mail at Your Home and Business Place After February First.

The prompt attention of the Post-office Department at Washington to the request of Congressman Webb Brown that the establishment of a mail delivery in Rhinelander be settled at once is a source of congratulation to everyone here. That the city has grown to a size demanding it and that we have an effective Congressman who can promptly get it is certainly cause to be thankful for this great improvement to our mail service. When in working order, with patrons understanding the system, it will prove a great convenience and benefit. Three carriers and a substitute are to be appointed and twelve letter boxes placed at convenient points. Where the boxes are to be located and who is to relieve appointment as carriers has not yet been determined by the department. As soon as done Postmaster Parker will be notified and put the system into operation. An important matter which the Postmaster wishes understood by all is that no mail boxes will be rented at the postoffice and all persons who do not retain lock boxes should, as far as possible, have their correspondence plainly addressed to their street number.

Native.

The Conro property, Thayer St., is to be overhauled to suit anyone desiring to go into business. Builders, men, contractors, carpenters, painters, paper hangers, let me hear from you at once. E. W. Sellers, Stevens Point, Wis.

Andy Holger was down from Minocqua Tuesday.

### KILLED BY A PLAYMATE

George Moore Accidentally Shot By Young Friend—Companions Carry Unconscious Boy Two Miles.

A target rifle in the hands of young boys caused the deplorable death of 12-year-old George Moore, the son of Thos. Moore, who resides a short distance north of the Lake Creek bridge.

Saturday, Moore in company with Harry McIntyre and several other boys of about the same age, went up the old Eagle River road some three miles north of the city and were testing the accuracy of a newly purchased 22-calibre rifle by firing at a target placed on a tree. Young McIntyre had the gun and whether Moore stepped before the target or the gun was swerved from the mark the boys seem unable to tell, but at his discharge Moore fell to the ground with a bullet in the side of his head.

Four of the boys picked up the unconscious form of their companion and succeeded in carrying him to his grid-stricken parents some two miles distant. He did not again regain consciousness and died at 11 o'clock Sunday forenoon.

The funeral was held at the Catholic church Tuesday morning at nine o'clock.

Dies at Elcho.

Mrs. Maren Foldstad, mother of Julius Foldstad of this city, died at Elcho Monday, Nov. 9th, at the home of her son, Anton, aged 64 years.

Mrs. Foldstad was born in Roken, Norway, Dec. 24, 1843. She came to this country 14 years ago with her husband, John Foldstad, and took up her residence with her son Anton at Elcho, he having preceded his parents here. Her husband died three years ago and her health failed after his taking away.

Six sons and a daughter are left to mourn the mother's passing.

Attorney C. B. Bird, one of Wauchesa's representative legal lights, came up Monday afternoon to attend court.

### RHINELANDERS ADVANCE

An Interesting Batch of News Regarding Local Lumbermen and Their Business Enterprises.

The American Lumberman of Chicago is again paying some attention to this section of the lumber producing world. They sent a solicitor and writer here some days ago and he sent the following news letter for the Lumberman's readers. The paper is not only one of the handsomest printed but it has the largest circulation among the lumbermen and manufacturers of wood products. That it is to have a Rhinelander department of news each issue will be welcome news to the lumberman.

"The big mill of the Brown Bros. Lumber Company shut down on Saturday last for repairs. It will start up again early in December for a night and day running during the winter."

"The latest and greatest institution to be established in Rhinelander is the wood yard mill, now being completed by the Rhinelander Paper Co. The buildings comprising this plant are magnificent in proportions, as well as in architectural beauty, and will cost when completed and equipped fully \$100,000. The capital stock was all, except \$4,000, subscribed for by residents of the city and it is a plant that any city in the United States would be proud to possess. It will probably be ready for operation by January next. A. W. Brown of the Brown Bros. Lumber Company, is president and A. E. Edmunds, formerly of Oconto Falls, is manager. C. B. Pile of Appleton is the architect and builder and the Hackworth Construction Company of Appleton is putting in the canal and fall race, where the water power is located. The latter work involves the removal of an enormous amount of rock and boulders and the detritus of dynamite used in blasting out the channel are so frequent that the Rhinelander no longer "bat an eye" when they occur.

"Hon. W. E. Brown left for Washington a few days ago to take up his duties as a member of the fifty-eighth congress at its special session. The Robbins Lumber Company of this city is now engaged in carrying to the retail trade in railroad ties, a department of the industry in which it has the best of facilities for building up a large business. E. S. Robbins, president of the company, devotes most of his attention to timberland matters in Idaho, where he has made considerable investments, chiefly in the Coeur d'Alene section.

His son, H. C. Robbins, now manages all departments of the business here in both the manufacturing and logging. This involves lots of hard work and constant attention, but Mr. Robbins is proving himself fully equal to the task. The company manufactures plan, hemlock, tamarack and the various hardwoods native to this locality, comprising bass, wood, maple, birch and elm. It is something of a specialty of tamarack, as you know, Mr. Robbins has been largely instrumental in popularizing. The company makes a large number of grain doors and also a considerable quantity of re-sawed stock in tamarack and pine for window glass boxes, which is shipped to glass manufacturers in Ohio and West Virginia.

"The Robbins Lumber Company has thirty-two miles of 72-pound steel logging railway, which is now being converted into a mill. It has 5,000 acres of well timbered land still to cut and is cutting the land cheap, which naturally involves the bringing to the mill of many small or unsound logs of all varieties of timber. These logs are being converted into the several sizes of stove wood by special machinery contrived by Mr. Robbins and though he turns out a cord of wood every twenty minutes he cannot produce enough to satisfy the demands of his customers.

"A recent valuable adjunct to the plant is a well constructed shed, 10 by 160, for the storage of dressed lumber. The equipment of the mill comprises a Mershon band mill, with a large and small Mershon band resaw, and the mill is being operated night and day.

"Oscar Jennie, who has been manager of the George E. Wood Lumber Company's plant at Woodboro, Wis., for twelve years, says that the last log will be cut there this week unless negotiations for additional timber land now under way shall be concluded. The original tract owned by the company has been exhausted of its timber and at this writing it is well known whether or not the plant will close down for good this week.

"J. Platt Underwood, the Chicago lumber and timberman, who formerly resided in Rhinelander, was here this week in company with his associate, Mr. Randall. The two gentlemen had some business details to arrange with reference to his town.

"By clients and then proceeded to Eagle River on Monday. Mr. Underwood is the owner of over 15,000 acres of hardwood swampage in Forest county and makes an annual visit to that section.

Drowned Near Hackley.

Frank Johnson, a young man nineteen years of age, was drowned last week in a small lake near Hackley, Vilas county. He was in a row boat in company with a small boy. In order to tease the boy Johnson rocked the boat which tipped considerably. At this the boy jumped overboard and swam to shore, the boat turning over with Johnson. He was unable to swim and sank to the bottom. Deceased's parents lived at Grayling, Mich. The funeral was held Tuesday at Eagle River, Rev. G. M. Bakcock of this city officiating.

For Sale.

16 room house, large basement, bakery and barn, centrally located. Will be sold on easy terms as owner is about to move from city. Enquire of C. F. Jernquist, No. 12 Anderson street.

### What You Need for Constipation.

When troubled with constipation, what you need is a remedy that is sure to produce the desired effect. A remedy that leaves the bowels in a natural and healthy condition. A remedy that is easy and pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets meet all of these requirements. Give them a trial and you will never wish to take another dose of pills. Use them as directed and they will cure chronic constipation. Price 25 cents. Every box is warranted. For sale by Aulerie & Hiaman, 31-N-1419

Arizona Will Be Here Soon.

The coming of "Arizona" to the Grand opera house Tuesday, November 24th, will be almost in the nature of a "first night" at that theatre, for "Arizona" will be re-introduced to Rhinelander theatre-goers wearing the added grace of New York's second enthusiastic approval. When "Arizona" was first presented in this city, it had no such advantageous claim to consideration. The more pleasure then, to remember that the people and the critics accepted it with cordial welcome and outspoken favor.

### THE NUMEROUS HUNTER

Scores of Sportsmen Are Out After Deer—No Venison Can Be Sold This Year—New Law Is Force.

The deer hunting season opened yesterday morning and from the number of hunters with long range rifles who were making the swamps and tall timber every deer in Northern Wisconsin ought to be on the jump. County Clerk Carre reports the issuance of 800 hunting licenses up to last night and not all the would-be deer-hunters are yet supplied.

In spite of the large number of fatalities reported every year there appears to be an annual increase in the number of hunters. At one place near Eagle River it is reported there are 125 hunters now encamped in the radius of a few miles. Such conditions cannot fail to be dangerous and this sort of colonization is being carried on in many localities.

The best feature that has ever been incorporated in the game laws goes into force this fall whereby deer hunters will not be allowed to dispose of their venison to meat markets for the purpose of placing it on sale. The law in regard to the sale of game is plain and this fall it will be impossible to purchase venison unless it is done by stealth.

The person found guilty of selling any part of a deer, buck or fawn for consumption "will be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty nor more than ninety days, or by both fine and imprisonment."

It is also forbidden to sell other kinds of game, and those who eat it this year must go out themselves or have a friend who kills more than he can use.

### MERRILL IS THE WINNER

Rhinelander High School Team Is Badly Defeated at Football by Merrill Students—Score 45 to 0.

Rhinelander's championship hopes in the football line were crushed last Saturday at Merrill when the High school team of that city defeated the local aggregation by a score of 45-0. The large score run up by the Merrill team can be attributed to their superior weight, especially in the back field. Rhinelander's back field averaged about 140 pounds, whereas Merrill would easily outweigh Rhinelander by 20 pounds to the man. After a very tame exhibition of football between the Wausau Business College and the Merrill city team in which one of the Wausau players received a broken rib the High school teams lined up for the fray.

Rhinelander kicked off to Merrill and on the first down Boyer, Merrill's 135-pound fullback went through tackle for 5 yards and after this Merrill generally made their downs for force of superior weight alone. However our boys were able to hold them for downs several times, but when the ball was in our possession the Merrill line held like a stone wall. The Rhinelander High played a plucky uphill game but were unable to withstand the rush of the opposing team. The first half ended with the score 25 to 0 in Merrill's favor. Merrill succeeded in adding 22 more points to this in the second half, making a total of 45. One of our players received a slight bruise near the eye but otherwise none was hurt. The Merrill team plays Eau Claire the coming Saturday in the semifinal for the state championship.

Very Low Rates to International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago.

Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Nov. 23, 29 and Dec. 1, limited to Dec. 7, inclusive. Apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. n5-25.

Snow has come.



## NEW NORTH.

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A maker of proverbs has written: "Honesty is not only the deepest policy, but the highest wisdom; since, however difficult it may be for integrity to get on, it is a thousand times more difficult for knavery to get off."

In France last year the deaths exceeded the births by 26,000 and the births were 20,000 fewer than in the preceding year. The French nation has a difficult and exceptional problem to deal with in this matter.

Nine Crow Indians killed and ten captured in a battle with a Wyoming sheriff's posse, comes nearer the proportions of an Indian war than anything that has occurred for some time. Like the colored man in race conflicts, the Indian generally gets the worst of it.

Science has been at pains to proclaim that a cow treated with kindness gives more milk than one of equal capacity neglected or treated with harshness. Science sometimes does the unnecessary. It is not left to this late day to demonstrate that kindness is the touch of nature which makes the whole world kin.

Now a couple of Bulgarian gentlemen, graduates of American colleges, have set sail for America to raise funds for the relief of the Macedonian insurgents. Did we not contribute enough for this rebellion in the shape of the ransom paid for Miss Stene's release?

People who bet on elections will never learn any wisdom. No human being can tell with even approximate certainty how an election in a state or large city will go, and those who risk money on their guesses simply advertise their folly. Our advice to all persons who are tempted to bet on elections is "Don't."

It is pleasing to see a big dry goods house with nerve enough to advertise American-made silks. It is time American women—and men, too—were realizing the fact that as good fabrics are manufactured on this side the water as ever were made abroad. The once magic word, "imported," is fast losing its value as a promoter of sales.

The women should complain less about their lot in life. After they have eaten a big Sunday dinner they have to bustle around and do the dishes, and this activity is good for their health. A man, having no dishes to do, gets sluggish sitting around and becomes miserable. We fear that the women do not appreciate all their advantages over the men.

With the Alaskan boundary dispute out of the way, we shall probably never have another one with Canada. The settlement of the boundary line in the northeast occupied many years, and caused much friction, as did also that of the northwest line. With the Alaskan boundary settled it is not perceived how any similar dispute can arise in the future.

During the last fiscal year the postal department of the United States became a billion-dollar institution in its aggregate transactions, the revenue amounting to \$113,000,000, expenditures to \$128,000,000, and total amount of money orders issued and paid to \$73,000,000. The general postal deficit was \$15,100,000. Some simple reforms proposed would easily change the usual deficit to a surplus.

Prof. Felix Adler, of New York, in addressing the English visitors who are investigating our educational methods, hit the nail squarely on the head when he said: "The education that the English give to the elect we give to everybody, and there is our strength." That is the American idea as to popular education summed up in the most concrete form. Every boy and girl in America is among the "elect" when it comes to a chance for learning.

Chief Justice Lore, of Delaware, who has taken such a decided stand against lynching, is opposed to capital punishment. "I would not take life for the commission of crime," he says, "but would put the criminal under such restraint as would protect the people and give him the full measure of his day to work out such penitence and reformation as all good influences might produce. Life is too sacred and too holy a thing to be taken. I would grant life so long as God spared each one of its creatures."

There used to be a time when any man would have resented the insinuation that he had no right to keep his child out of school and no right to put that child at work whenever he pleased. A child was a chattel. Today in this and in several other states you may not put your child to work till he has reached the age of 14 years, and you may not keep him out of school after he has reached the age of seven years. The right of the father to do what he pleases with his child has been modified by the right of the child to have a period of play and of study.

The latest annual exhibit of gold and silver mined in the United States covers the calendar year 1902. In the figures of the director of the mint the total of gold mined in this country last year is estimated at \$50,000,000. Colorado still holds the lead, with an aggregate of \$24,000,000. California is second, with \$16,000,000. Alaska is in third place, with \$3,000,000. South Dakota is not far behind, its total almost touching \$1,000,000. The follow in order Montana, Arizona, Utah, Nevada, Oregon and Idaho. Eight states produced gold below \$1,000,000.

Most merchants will tell anything if the be profit is in it. Not so one of the leading manufacturers of shoes in New York. For philanthropic reasons only and to his considerable loss, he has recently taken patent leather off his list. "Patent leather is practically air-proof," he says in defense. "It prevents the foot from breathing and is the direct cause of untold misery. I shall longer to a purer and more healthful production of shoes and shoes will enlarge our sales over the metropolitan district. The great toe, known commonly as the ball, or inflammation of the bursa."

## A WEEK'S HISTORY

The Important Happenings of a Week Briefly Told.

### IN ALL PARTS OF THE UNION

All the Latest News of Interest from Washington, From the East, the West and the South.

### THE LATEST FOREIGN DISPATCHES

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

In the United States there were 216 business failures during the seven days ended on the 6th, against 233 the same week in 1902.

A strike has been ordered by iron workers which will involve the whole country in a bitter struggle.

Exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the seven days ended on the 6th aggregated \$1,900,512,792. The decrease compared with the corresponding week of last year was 15.2.

The weekly trade reviews show general business restricted by warm weather, while crop gathering was helped.

The house republicans in caucus elected officers for the extra session, with Joseph G. Cannon as speaker. The democratic floor leader is John Sharp Williams.

Hon. Elihu Root, secretary of war, has returned from his duties abroad in connection with the Alaskan boundary commission.

It is said that the United States of Colombia has lodged a protest with the state department against the action of the United States in connection with the events which have occurred on the isthmus of Panama.

Suit in court involving western Montana timber land worth \$2,000,000 was settled by a compromise in favor of Senator W. A. Clark, defendant, over the United States government.

Great distress is reported from many parts of Labrador owing to the shortage of the fishery catch. Unless relief is provided by the government, it is believed that the people will perish.

John Mitchell, says a close friend, will succeed Mr. Cortis as secretary of the department of commerce and labor in the event of President Roosevelt's reelection, and that Mr. Cortis may again become secretary to the president.

Colombia has appointed Gen. Reyes to arrange peace with the new republic.

#### THE EAST.

Entire returns of the vote cast in Pennsylvania for state treasurer give Mathews (rep.) 259,471 plurality.

At the Boston convention President Comptroller of the American Federation of Labor, will oppose sympathetic strikes as a menace to the industrial life of the nation.

The complete returns from the Maryland election show a plurality of 12,375 for Edwin Warfield, democratic candidate for governor.

In New Haven, Conn., Judge Cleveland decided that the letter giving \$50,000 to William J. Bryan could not be admitted to probate with the will of Philip S. Bennett.

Gov. Goodell will advertise every male citizen of New Hampshire to school-keepers as unfit to buy liquor.

In New York Samuel Parks, walking delegate, was sentenced to two years and three months at Sing Sing for extortion.

The result of a conference at Pittsburgh of window glass interests was that 40,000 workers who have been idle for six months returned to work. It is announced that William J. Bryan has been admitted as executor of Philip S. Bennett's will at New Haven, Conn. His bond was fixed at \$250,000. A protest was made by Mrs. Bennett's counsel.

A victim of blood poisoning, William L. Ellis, traction magnate, financier and patron of art, passed away in his summer home, Ashbourne, near Philadelphia, aged 71 years.

A decision by Judge Lacombe, of the federal court in New York, orders the deportation of John Turner, the English anarchist, before the first application of the new law forbidding "red" entrance here.

In a quarrel James Murphy, Monrovia, Pa., aged 12, was shot to death, and John Johnson, aged 11, wounded by Earl Fory, 13 years old, who was angered by being called names.

At the age of 92 years Capt. S. W. Osborn, a well-known civil war veteran, died in Darlington, Wis.

Funeral of Mrs. Eliza C. Hendricks, widow of Vice President Hendricks, was held at Indianapolis.

The Hollister Brothers' lumber yard near Thorpe, Wis., containing about 700,000 feet of lumber, was destroyed by forest fires.

A mob lynched Samuel Adams, a negro, at Pass Christian, Miss., for assaulting the wife of one of the most prominent residents of the place.

It is said that Edward L. Wertz, Philadelphia millionaire, millionaire since October 11, is held in the Cumberland (Va.) mountains for \$100,000 ransom.

H. J. Hoover, former cashier of the Licking county bank at Newark, O., confessed to be short in his accounts \$26,600.

Over 100 rotation miners near Knoxville, Tenn., were attacked by union men, placed on a train and forced to leave town.

In an address at the University of Chicago Alfred Mosely, head of the British educational commission, praised American college presidents.

At many points in Ohio and Michigan snow fell.

Flames in the Kearnsage mine, six miles from Virginia City, Mont., killed nine men.

At Charlotte, Mich., a mob tarred and feathered and drove from town J. W. Copeland, a local clerk, for his share in the fate of Mabel Sturdevant, of Gillet, Pa., who hunk herself.

In St. Joseph, Mo., Thomas Costello, a pal of Pat Crowe, confessed to participating in the kidnapping of young Cuddey at Omaha two years ago.

Little children, four in number, were instantly killed by an explosion of nitroglycerin at Buck's Run, in Rocking county, O.

At Detroit Frank Pickett, a Boston reporter, died as a result of a 51 days' fast undertaken to cure stomach trouble.

### FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Advices to the state department show that the revolutionists are now absolute masters of the isthmus of Panama. Minister Powell, at San Domingo, sent an urgent message to Washington, asking for a warship, as the insurgents were marching on the city.

In his annual report Gen. Greely, chief signal officer of the United States army, says 1,700 miles of telegraph lines have been completed in Alaska.

It is proposed by the Cuban government to Minister Squires to turn over property at Guantanamo to the United States to be used as a naval station.

Officials of the administration believe the new republic of Panama will adopt a constitution permitting the alienation of territory and will then proceed to sign a treaty with the United States, ceding Colon, Panama and the strip between for canal purposes.

It is reported from Paris that Colombia is marching an army of 7,000 men across the country to attack the new government of Panama.

The German emperor underwent an operation for the removal of a growth from his larynx. The operation was not a serious one.

Dispatches from Berlin announce that Japan and Russia are near a peaceful settlement of questions in the far east.

### LATER NEWS.

The United States minister at Rio Janeiro is reported to have protested against the increased import duties on flour and oil and has threatened that the United States will adopt retaliation against Brazilian coffee if the duties are maintained.

Nearly all the Northwestern senators and representatives are present at the opening session of congress.

John MacDonnell, Helms' partner, says the Amalgamated people are responsible for the Hattie situation—that he is ready to arbitrate.

A fierce gale raged at Newfoundland for several days and a number of vessels were driven ashore.

More than 10,000 coal miners in Colorado struck for an eight-hour day.

Fire at Portland, Me., damaged the wharves to the amount of \$100,000.

Sig. Rosanna, the Italian minister of finance, committed suicide by shooting himself.

The fifty-eight congress convened in extraordinary session at noon the 9th in accordance with the proclamation of President Roosevelt, for the purpose of enacting legislation necessary to make effective the Cuban reciprocity treaty. The day was devoted simply to personal greetings and organization.

The first state bank of Parker's Prairie, Minn., was broken into by unknown robbers who have not been caught. The safe was exploded and \$3,000 in cash secured. There is no clue to the thieves.

Dr. Lorenz operation has cured little Lolita Armour of congenital hip disease.

London's new lord mayor gives a banquet in honor of King Edward's birthday.

Proceedings preliminary to the trial of Maehen and associates are begun at Washington.

News from San Domingo by way of Paris confirms the report of a rupture in the relations between the United States government and that of Santo Domingo. The Dominican gunboat Independence has been damaged and damaged the town of Maviro.

The Washington government decides to prevent Colombian soldiers from embarking on any point with the intention of sailing for the isthmus.

Dr. W. E. Light of Saginaw, Mich., committed suicide after killing his wife and daughter.

### MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

One in four of the people of Chicago is a German.

Gold now constitutes nearly one-half of the stock of money.

Brigades corresponds in area to Oklahoma and its population to Missouri. Readings from the Bible are now being given in Berlin by professional readers.

The farms in the United States cover 3,140,000 acres, and employ nearly 10,000,000 people.

Peter L. of Serbia, is credited with being the most intellectual monarch his country ever had.

Pope Pius has promised to send a special commissioner and an exhibit of papal treasures to St. Louis.

Manuel Garcia, aged 53, living in a villa in north-west London, is said to be the oldest music teacher in the world.

Gen. A. W. Greely, U. S. A., chief signal officer, is negotiating to have a cable established from Sitka, Alaska to Valdez.

Seven million dollars are demanded by Princess Radzivil from the executors of Cecil Rhodes' estate, based on an alleged written contract.

Strike of machinists which has been on at eastern shipbuilding yards since May has been declared off, an amicable agreement having been reached.

Louis Richard Schuchert, sergeant commanding the guards at Lincoln's bar, and also of the market bar, lives at German Valley, N. J.

Gen. C. A. Whitler, formerly in charge of the United States customs at Manila, returned to this country by way of Siberia. It took him two weeks to cross the latter country on the new railroad.

King Edward laid the foundation stone of a new \$1,000,000 consumption sanitarium he is building in London with money supplied by Sir Edward Cassel.

With the recent death of the duke of Richmond passed away the last of Wellington's old-timers.

J. W. Ryzer, of Dorchester, England, 94 years of age, asserts that he saw Napoleon Bonaparte in 1815 at Plymouth.

## ELECTION RESULTS IN MANY STATES

McClellan Defeats Low for Mayor of Greater New York.

Herrick Elected Governor of Ohio—Results in Other States Told in Brief.

### New York.

Tammany elected George B. McClellan mayor of New York by 61,617 plurality. This makes him a man to be reckoned with in national politics. It prefigures the downfall of David B. Hill, a united delegation for Grover Cleveland in the national convention of 1912, and the rehabilitation of Tammany as one of the controlling forces in the national council.



COL. GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN.  
(Elected Mayor of Greater New York to Succeed Seth Low.)

All of the democratic party. Seth Low carried but one borough—that of Richmond. Brooklyn, on which the fusion hopes were centered, gave McClellan a plurality of 6,600. This marks the beginning of Tammany rule in the "City of Homes" and the passing of Hiram McKim, its "boss" for 50 years.

The legislature will be republican by an increased majority, the republicans gaining heavily in the state.

Tom Johnson and his "isms" were repudiated by Ohio voters. Myron T. Herrick beating him for governor by 115,000 votes, the largest majority for 40 years. His own town of Cleveland turned against him, and his old-time majority became a deficit of 6,000. The defeat removes him from the national political field. Senator Hanna secured a remarkable personal triumph, and will succeed himself in the senate. The legislature will be republican by a majority of 93 or more on joint ballot, or double that of any for a number of years.

A. B. Cummins did not run quite as well in Iowa as he did two years ago. He is defeated by 52,000 plurality, against 33,154 in 1901. The vote yesterday was heavier, too, being 415,000, as against 370,491. The legislature is still strongly republican, although the democrats claim they have made substantial gains.

Massachusetts.

Gov. John I. Bates was re-elected governor by a plurality of 25,000, a loss of 2,000 over last year. Boston went democratic by 18,000, a gain of 5,000. The legislature is republican two to one.

### Maryland.

The democrats elected Edwin Warfield governor by 12,273 plurality. The legislature will be democratic, insuring the election of a member of that party to succeed United States Senator McComas.

### Pennsylvania.

Republicans elect their minor state ticket. Mathews (rep.) plurality over Hill (dem) for state treasurer, 255,151.

### Rhode Island.

The election for governor was close, but the democrats have probably reflected. Gov. Garvin by a plurality of 1,557. The republicans elected the balance of the state ticket. The legislature is republican in both branches.

### Mississippi.

The democratic ticket headed by J. K. Vardaman for governor, was elected, three being to opposition. H. D. Moore and A. J. McLaughlin will have no opposition for the senate.

### Nebraska.

Republicans elected a supreme court judge and seven of the state university by 10,000 plurality. Last year they elected Gov. Mickey by 5,000.

### Nebraska.

Gov. Beckham was re-elected by 25,000 plurality. His election will be contested on constitutional grounds. Four men were shot in election riots.

### Vermont.

The elections for members of the assembly have resulted in a democratic sweep of the state.

### New Jersey.

The legislature elected is republican by 26 to 21.

### No Canal Legislation.

Colon, Nov. 5.—A dispatch has been received from Bogota dated November 2 saying that congress has closed without initiating legislation on the canal project.

Saloon Wrecked.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 7.—The saloon of A. B. Douglas, located at Second street and Commercial avenue, in this city, was blown up Friday afternoon and completely wrecked. The bartender and proprietor escaped. The cause of the explosion is unknown, but it was apparently dynamite.

### Wants Warship.

Washington, Nov. 7.—United States Minister Powell, at San Domingo, has sent an urgent message asking for a warship, as the insurgents were marching on the city and that the latter was in danger.

### Russia Will Insist.

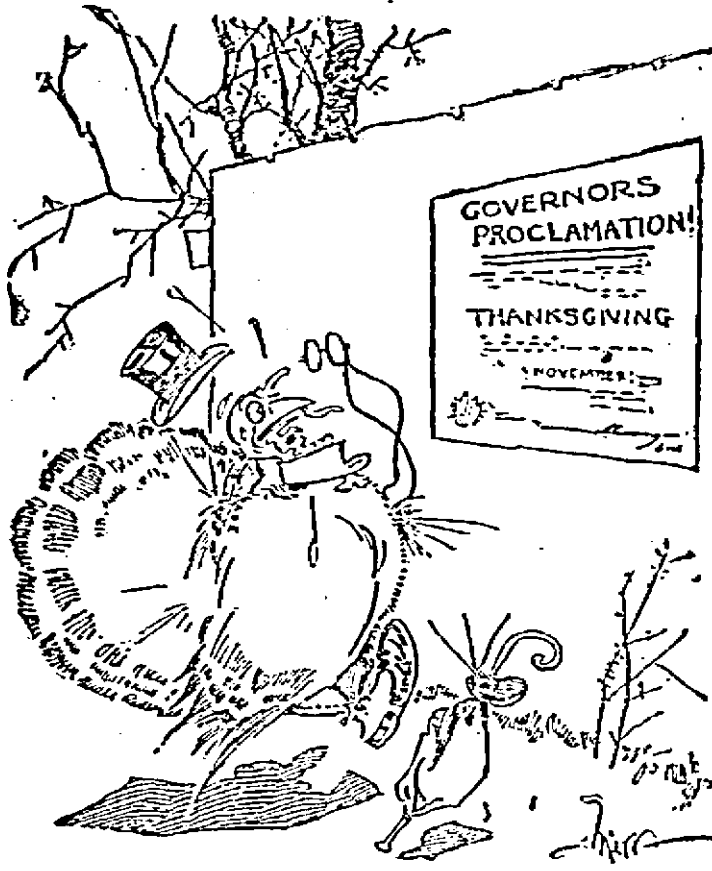
London, Nov. 6.—Paul Jessar, the Russian minister to China, has repeated the demands of Russia for the execution of Maj. Wong, who recently decapitated a noted brigand in Russian employ, and the dismissal of Yuen, the tactical of Mukden, who is Wong's superior officer.

### France to Send Warship.

Paris, Nov. 6.—Ambassador Porter has been advised that the French government will send a warship to New Orleans December 18, to take part in the celebration of the French transfer of Louisiana.

## THE FATAL MESSAGE.

Detroit Free Press.



Mr. Turk—"Well, from now on I'm again the administrator!"

### BARS BRYAN'S \$50,000.

The Court Holds That Trust Letter Cannot Be Probated with the Bennett Will.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7.—Judge Livingston W. Cleveland, of the probate court, handed down a decision Friday in the Philip S. Bennett will case, holding that the secret letter directing Mrs. Bennett, the widow, to pay William J. Bryan \$50,000, was not a part of the will. The effect of this is to prevent Mr. Bryan from obtaining the money mentioned in the letter unless the present decision is reversed by a higher court, or unless he should be successful in legal proceedings against Mrs. Bennett, in the event that the \$50,000 should be paid under clause twelve of the will, which reads as follows:

"Twelfth—I give and bequeath unto my wife, Grace (neé Bennett), the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in trust, however, for the purposes set forth in a sealed letter which will be found with said will."

The text of the letter was made public at one of the hearings on the will. Mr. Bryan was not present when the decision was announced, but his attorneys said he would undoubtedly appeal from Judge Cleveland's decision.

### PARKS IS SENTENCED.

New York, Nov. 7.—Sam Parks was Friday sentenced to two years and three months in Sing Sing prison. This sentence was passed on the charge of extorting \$500 from the Tiffany studios.

It was alleged that Parks, as walking delegate of the Housewives' and Bridge-men's union, forced the Tiffany studios to pay him \$500 to call off a strike. This was Parks' second sentence for extortion. In the first he was released from Sing Sing on a certificate of reasonable doubt. In imposing sentence Judge Newburger said he took into consideration the physical condition of Parks, who is said by physicians to be suffering from consumption in an advanced stage.

Parks, whose customary air of defiance has entirely deserted him, heard the sentence without a movement of feature or outward suggestion of emotion.

Former District Attorney James W. Osborne, Parks' counsel, said that he would in all probability appeal, but that no certificate of reasonable doubt would be applied for.

### POSTAL ESTIMATES.

Total of \$168,000,000 Needed to Carry On the Service for the Fiscal Year.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Postmaster General Payne, in his estimates forwarded to the treasury for transmission to congress for appropriations needed during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1905, calls for an aggregate of \$168,000,000 for the postal service, and \$1,511,000 for the post office department proper at Washington, including salaries of clerks, rents of buildings, etc. here. The deficit for the year ending June 30, 1905, is estimated at \$1,511,000. The appropriation for the year ending June 30, 1904, was \$153,311,520; and the estimated revenue for that year is \$149,204,432. The estimated revenue for 1905 is \$159,476,665.

### Liabilities of \$100,000.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 7.—Examination of the books of the Bank of the Chickasaw Nation, at Tishomingo, I. T., which failed recently, shows liabilities of \$100,000, of which nearly \$20,000 is due to depositors. All efforts to locate Kirby Fardom, the missing president of the bank, have failed.

### Twenty Killed in Battle.

New York, Nov. 7.—The latest reports received here from Montevideo are to the effect that about 20 persons were killed or wounded in the battle at Rivera, between the Uruguayan police and Brazilians.

### Kills Himself.

London, Nov. 6.—William McCollough, of New York, committed suicide at a boarding house in Bloomsbury, a suburb of this city, at night by inhaling gas. Papers found in his room indicated that McCollough was connected with the sale of Texas oil lands, and that he had a brother living at San Diego, Cal.

### Judge Shiras Resigns.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The president has accepted the resignation of Oliver P. Shiras, judge of the federal court of the northern district of Iowa, to take effect at once.

### DEATH DEALT TO SIX.

Explosion Causes Destruction at the Iona Island, N. Y., Naval Depot.

Iona Island, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Six men were killed and ten slightly injured Wednesday afternoon by an explosion at the United States naval arsenal, one of the largest magazines in the United States, which is located here. The explosion occurred while men were drawing the explosive charges from a consignment of old shells recently sent here from the battleship Massachusetts. Three massive shell houses were totally destroyed, and a rain of fragments of projectiles of all sizes was scattered in every direction. The force of the explosion, or series of explosions, broke windows at Peekskill, three miles below on the opposite side of the Hudson, and the detonation was heard for many miles. Adjacent buildings, including two store houses for fixed ammunition, were riddled with the fragments, and the quarters of the 11 marines composing the garrison were completely demolished. The dead, all of whom were workmen employed by the naval ordnance department, are Fred Ward, Stony Point; George Morhead, Tompkins Cove; Fred O. Locke, Peekskill; Patrick Curran, West Haverstraw; Fred Brown, Haverstraw; James Connolly, Peekskill. The bodies were frightfully mangled, fragments being hurled for hundreds of feet.

### NINE ARE DEAD.

A Fatal Blast in the Kearnsage Gold Mine Near Virginia City, Montana.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 7.—A Virginia City special to the Miner says fire in the Kearnsage mine, six miles from Virginia City, early Friday morning killed nine men. The damage to surface buildings is slight. Among the dead is superintendent H. B. Turner, of Butte, one of the best known mining men in the northwest. Four bodies have been recovered.

The dead are R. B. Turner, superintendent of the Kearnsage mine; George Allen, stationary engineer; John Tobin, James Powers, Edward Labredy, William Fleming, Robert Donnelly and two unknown men, all miners. All the dead miners are from Butte and were single men. The Kearnsage is one of the principal gold mines of the state, and is considered very valuable. It is operated by the Alder Mining company.

### Village Not Burned.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 7.—A special to the Sentinel from Ashland, Wis., says: The fire in the village of Bibron was confined to the yard of the Chicago Coal & Lumber company. Four million feet of lumber was burned. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, which practically has no insurance. The shifting of the wind saved the entire village.

### Destroyed by Forest Fire.

Thorpe, Wis., Nov. 6.—Hollister Brothers' lumber yard, six miles south of Thorpe, containing about 700,000 feet of lumber, was destroyed by forest fire early Thursday evening. The lumber was covered by insurance. The sawmill was saved.

### Killed Three.

Staubsville, O., Nov. 7.—A Pennsylvania passenger train Tuesday morning in a fog ran down a party of nine Austrian laborers, who were walking along the track, and three were killed, the others escaping unhurt.

### Death Due to Accident.

Waterville, Ia., Nov. 7.—The coroner's jury found that John Rush, president of the Swift Gas company, who was found dead on the floor of his office in this city a week ago, and who was believed to have been murdered, died of injuries accidentally inflicted by a fall.

### Dies of Illness.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 7.—Frank Shanklin, captain of the Haverzoo college football team last year, died Friday morning at the hospital here from injuries received in a practice scrimmage on Haverzoo field five weeks ago. He lived at Franklin, Ind.



## HER TARIFF PROBLEM

Legislation in That Direction Always Unpopular in England.

### A GLANCE AT THE PAST

Brilliant Men Have Failed Over This Political Stumbling Block—The "Corn Laws" and Their Results—Bits of History.

Some one has well said that the present crisis in England regarding a protective tariff is not a government crisis, but a national one, that if the changes advocated by Mr. Chamberlain are effected "they will reverse traditions and discard principles of political economy that are inborn in the British people."

It is prophesied that next spring a parliament will be elected that will upset the nation's free trade policy, but it goes without saying that in the meanwhile three different factions of the public will be toiling strenuously in the cause individually exposed. The factions are as follows: those who stand boldly for free trade; those who stand for a protective tariff; and midway between these a conservative element with Mr. Balfour at the head, a body that believes reforms are needed to relieve the industrial situation, but is averse to hasty, radical action.

A protective tariff is bound at first to be immensely unpopular with the mass of the English people, who for so long has held as gospel "buying in the cheapest market and selling in the dearest." A little review of English history gives us some idea of the British temper on the delicate question of taxation of food stuffs. Though perhaps a little vague about it, still all have heard something of the excitement caused on the enactment of the corn laws, and the state of feeling that forced their repeal a few years later. In the light of impending events, it may be of interest to go into detail concerning past legislation on the matter of abolition of free trade.

The corn laws of English history were a series of laws enacted at different times through various centuries (from 1256 to 1842) and until their repeal the home and foreign grain trade continued a subject of elaborate legislation. The laws, during this long period dealt with the levying of protective duties, in imposing restrictions amounting to prohibition, and in granting bounties for the encouragement of exportation. Space permits considera-



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tion only of the corn laws of the last century, those in existence from 1815 to 1816.

Immediately after the Napoleonic war in Europe, there was almost a famine in Great Britain, there being poor harvests at home and supplies from abroad being cut off by Napoleon's "Continental System" devised to destroy English power and commerce. The laboring classes and tradesmen suffered severely, the agricultural folk, landlords and farmers, alone enjoying prosperity. But when presently the war was over and ports open, foreign grain came pouring in and prices fell rapidly. The landlords became alarmed and craftily spoke, in their appeals for reforms, of the distress of the English farmer. They asked parliament to resist the importation of foreign grain, and insisted that, as the cost of cultivation was higher in England than in the foreign lands from which the grain was arriving, the English farmer be protected. In 1815, a parliament, consisting almost wholly of landlords, enacted the corn laws, excluding foreign wheat except at high rates of duty, until the market price should reach 80s per quarter; and putting a like restriction on the importation of other grains.

Though considerable sympathy was aroused by oratorical flights in behalf of the agriculturist, the law was looked upon by many of the people as atrocious. Students averred that the industrial situation might have been otherwise relieved than by such a radical measure as raising the price of common food stuffs; that rents might have been lowered, improved methods of cultivation adopted; that the corn laws were passed by the landlords in order to maintain high rents and keep out foreign grain. The masses, as was to be expected, did not confine their expressions of displeasure to verbal criticism, riots and lawlessness followed.

the enactment of the laws. On London walls were written the words "Bread or Blood;" bread steeped in blood was set in Carlton house (occupied by the prince regent) and the mob attacked the houses of some of the unpopular advocates of the new bill. The military kept guard by soldiers, and the whole of London was in a state of revolt.

On the provisional towns, too, uprisings were numerous, and throughout the land there were evidences of disaffection. But the government insisted on strict observance of the laws up to 1823, when an amended law adjusted the duties by a sliding scale, whereafter the duties were to be governed by the average price of the English market: "When the average price of wheat was 36 shillings the duty was 50s., eight pence per quarter; when 46s. the duty was 30s., 8d. per quarter; when 56s., it was 20s., 8d. per quarter; when 62s., it was 10s., 8d. per quarter; when 72s., it was 2s., 8d. per quarter; and when 72s., it was 1s. per quarter." As can readily be seen, the amended law did not favor the importation of cheap grain to much more extent than the original measure.

The suffering amongst the poor continued and the provision laws also bore



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heavily upon them. These laws compelled the agricultural protection afforded by the corn laws, strictly prohibiting the importation of foreign cattle and foreign meats. Butter and lard could be imported, but they were not to be used as food, the custom house men being ordered to spoil them by smearing with a tarred stick, to destroy their value as a food and make them fit only as grease for wheels or to be used for smearing sheep. "With bread purposely made dear, the import of cattle and of fresh meat prohibited, and with lard and butter willfully reduced from articles of food to grease for wheels, there is no difficulty in accounting for the frequent murmurs of discontent, and for the starvation among the poorer classes in every part of the kingdom."

Now arose in earnest anti-corn-law agitation. In 1823, a small company of men met at Manchester and formed a new anti-corn association. Others joined with these men, Cobden among them, and from the moment of joining Cobden took a leader's part in the work. He presented to his associates a petition asking for the repeal of all the laws relating to the importation of grain; active work was carried on by him and other supporters of free trade, and ere long the anti-corn league became a power to be considered. And not a few landlords began to rank themselves with those standing for a repeal of the oppressive laws. It became more and more a question of the good of the land.

In 1841, when Sir Robert Peel returned to power it was as a protectionist, but the great statesman soon saw fit to change his mind in regard to high tariff; and, though bitterly opposed by members of his party, brought about modifications of the corn laws, and tariff reduction—the first great step toward free trade. From



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1845 to 1846, the newspaper writers and orators labored strenuously for the repeal of the laws, and Sir Robert became less and less of a protectionist. It was under his leadership that a measure was at last put through that proved practically the repeal of the corn laws. A biographer thus speaks of the statesman's change of view: "Peel had returned to power the champion of protection. His first great achievement was the extension of the freedom of trade."

KATHERINE POPE

## WISCONSIN STATE NEWS.

**State Tax Levy.**  
The state tax levy for the present year has been announced and the amount of money to be raised is \$1,027,220. Owing to the balance in the general treasury, the governor, secretary of state and state treasurer, who are the officers making this levy, decided that instead of levying a tax of \$1,500,730, which will be needed for various state purposes during the coming year, they would transfer \$322,510 from the general fund and apply it as a state tax to three various purposes, leaving only \$1,027,220 for common school purposes to be levied. The balance in the general fund in round numbers is \$1,200,000. The total state aid for common schools this year will be \$1,402,231.

**May Disband the Tribe.**  
The latest development in the Stockbridge Indian problem is a movement urged by the Miller faction, for the disbanding of the tribe. This plan probably will be substituted for that originally adopted, by which Miller sought to adopt 200 Indians whom he declares are not blood descendants of the original tribe members, and, therefore, are not entitled to participate in government awards. The entire matter probably will come before congress this winter.

**Saved a Baby.**  
Through the alertness of Motorman Julius Martell the life of the three-year-old child of Ben Anderson was saved at Sheboygan. The child had fallen into a pond and Martell, hearing its cries, stopped his car, pulled the child from the water, carried it back to the car and then sent the car at full speed to a doctor's office.

**Historic Building Burned.**  
Fire destroyed one of the oldest buildings in Green Bay and with it papers giving the most correct account of the early fur trade in Wisconsin. The building was the old Grignon residence, built by Judge John LaVe in 1822. It was occupied by David Grignon, a grandson, whose grandmother was a sister of John Quincy Adams.

**Held for Trial.**  
Patrick Flaherty and Charles Dennis, alias John Olson, the two men captured at Ishpeming, Mich., after a battle with the police of that city, and charged with robbing the Superior post office, were taken before United States Commissioner Perkins and bound over to the December term of the United States court at Madison.

**Called Into Court.**  
Application was made in the bankruptcy court at La Crosse for the La Crosse Cheese & Butter company to show cause why it should not be adjudicated bankrupt. The company recently tried to corner the cheese market. It now has stores in Chicago and elsewhere \$200,000 worth of cheese.

**The Boat Sank.**  
A party consisting of Carl Malls, his sister Emma, Nellie Olson, Henry Martin, Fred and Varum Sherier, all young people, attempted to cross the Wisconsin river above Biran dam in a small boat and the boat sank when 100 feet from shore. Emma and Carl Malls and Nellie Olson were drowned.

**Result of a Quagler.**  
Floyd Swarty shot and killed Albert Newheart at Arkansas and then killed himself. The killing is the result of a slight quarrel between the men several weeks ago. Swarty went to Danard and purchased two revolvers announcing that three men at Arkansas had to die before he did.

**The News Condensed.**  
Mar Winkel, who was convicted at Whitehall for the murder of James Campbell and sentenced for life, has been taken from La Crosse to Wausau. Hollister Brothers' lumber yard near Thorpe, containing about 700,000 feet of lumber, was destroyed by fire.

**Radical College Football Team.**  
has been disbanded because the members are "fedges" and other swells. Rev. D. W. Hubbard, of Wausau, who has been general superintendent of the state missionary work of the Baptist church since February 1, 1896, has been re-elected to the position for the coming year.

**Bilton, a Little Village on the Omaha road, 20 miles south of Ashland, was destroyed by fire.**

**The state bank of Montello, which has been in charge of State Banking Commissioner M. G. Bergh since the discovery of a shortage several weeks ago, resumed business under the management of its own officers.**

**Miss Frances R. Ryan, of Janesville, has been elected assistant steward and bookkeeper at the school for the blind at Janesville, to succeed Miss Jennie L. Kendall, resigned.**

**Rev. W. E. Shaley, aged 40 years, pastor of the German Reformed church of Waubesa, died at his home, leaving a widow and three young children.**

**The stables of the Appleton Brewing & Malting company were destroyed by fire and 11 horses and four mules, worth \$2,000, were burned to death.**

**BEHIND THE FOOTLIGHTS.**  
Mrs. G. H. Gilbert, the actress, has reached her eighty-third year.

**Anna Patterson, a little Norwegian girl, of Minneapolis, sent a childish poetic tribute to Christine Nilsson, the world-famed singer, a short time ago. In return she has just received the latest photograph of the prima donna, accompanied by an autograph of thanks.**

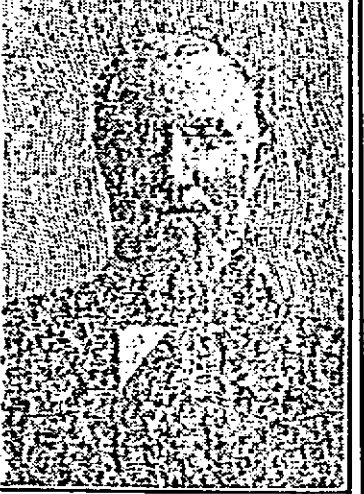
**The real name of Gabriel D'Aurizio, whose "Citta Morta" has been prohibited by the censor, is Gaetano Rappagaito. The dramatist is the son of Duchess Maria Galleo De Roma. He is a musician as well as a playwright, and has some success as a dramatist.**

**Glen MacDonald, who wrote the libretto for the comic opera, "Babes in Toyland," was sitting in a New York cafe recently with Victor Herbert, the composer, when a waiter approached to take his order. The waiter smiled at Mr. MacDonald, and said: "I don't remember me, do you? I used to sing in one of your companies." "Remember you very well," said Mr. MacDonald. "Are you surprised to see me here as a waiter?" asked the other. "Not at all," replied the librettist, cheerfully. "You know, I have heard you sing."**

## CANNON FOR SPEAKER.

Illinois Congressman Is the Unanimous Choice of the House Republicans.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, who on Saturday night was unanimously chosen by the caucus of the republican majority in the house of representatives as its candidate for speaker, declared in a speech after his selection that the prosperity of the country rests on a sound basis. Regarding the trust issue, Congressman Cannon declared that the refusal of the multitude to invest its savings in over-capitalized companies had destroyed their fictitious values, and that a recovery from the indigestion arising from



JOSEPH G. CANNON, Nominated for Speaker.

consumption of "acid and water" is assured. Regarding needed legislation at the extraordinary session of congress, which begins on Monday, Congressman Cannon held that it should arrange for the convention for reciprocal trade between the United States and Cuba, and make generous but not extravagant appropriations for public service at the regular session. No mention was made of the currency feature.

A resolution was adopted making the elective officers of the house in the last congress the nominees of the caucus for the Fifty-eighth congress.

At the caucus of the democratic members of the house of representatives Saturday John S. Williams, of Mississippi, was unanimously chosen as the candidate for speaker of the house.

### LABOR'S LEADERS.

Will Discuss Important Topics at American Federation Convention in Boston.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 9.—The convention of the American Federation of Labor will open in Faneuil hall to-day. Nearly all the delegates are here. The convention will be in session at least ten days, and 475 delegates representing 17,000 votes will be in attendance. One of the principal questions to be considered by the convention will be whether the American Federation of Labor shall recommend that its affiliated members ally themselves with that political party which, in their judgment will best promote the cause of labor. It is said that a resolution will be introduced implicitly pledging the federation to the cause of socialism. Among the other questions to be discussed will be those of industrialism against trade autonomy, women and child labor, the eight-hour question, trade jurisdiction, arbitration of labor difficulties and unionism in government offices.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 9.—The Dispatch to-day will publish a story to the effect that John Mitchell will not be a candidate for re-election as president of the United Mine Workers union at the January convention. This statement was made by a close personal friend of Mr. Mitchell during a short lay-over here of the miners president and other officials of the organization who are on their way to Boston to attend the convention of the American Federation of Labor. The announcement from this apparent authentic source is raised above mere rumor. The same gentleman said Mr. Mitchell, assuming that President Roosevelt would be re-elected, had decided to lay aside the miners' office to become a member of the president's cabinet, succeeding George H. Cortelyou as secretary of the department of commerce and labor. Secretary Cortelyou, it is said, has decided not again to be the head of the department, and may go back to the position of private secretary to the president.

**Bryan Admitted as Executor.**  
New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9.—In the probate court Saturday William J. Bryan was admitted to act as executor of the will of Philip S. Bennett, an objection to him made by Mrs. Bennett's counsel being overruled. The amount of the bond was fixed at \$100,000. Counsel on both sides indicate that an appeal will be taken.

**Distress in Labrador.**  
St. John's, N. F., Nov. 9.—Extreme destitution is reported from many parts of Labrador owing to the shortage of the fishery catch. Unless relief be provided by the government, it is believed that the people will perish.

**Seed Merchants Awaken.**  
Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—A receiver has been appointed for D. Landreth & Sons, seed merchants. The liabilities are about \$150,000, and the assets much less. The house is one of the oldest in the country, having been founded in 1781 by David Landreth, who came from England.

**Emperor Under Surgeon's Knife.**  
Berlin, Nov. 9.—Emperor William underwent an operation Saturday for the removal of a growth from his larynx. The operation was of a serious nature, and the surgeons expect that his majesty will be out of doors in a few days.

**Retains His Title.**  
Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 9.—In a wrestling match at Carnival Stadium Saturday night between Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, and Tom Sharkey, of New York, for the championship of the world, Jenkins retained the title, throwing his antagonist the first two falls.

**Sent to Jail.**  
Chicago, Nov. 9.—Judge Holdom imposed a full sentence and fine on three members of Franklin union, No. 4, charged with violating the injunction restraining them from interfering with employees of printing firms.

## STATE AND NATION CLASH.

Right of Government to Fish in Michigan Waters After Close of Commercial Season Is Denied.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 9.—A Free Press special from Marquette, Mich., says: A long standing dispute between state and federal authorities as to the right of the government to fish in Michigan waters after the commercial fishing season has closed, for the purpose of gathering spawn, was brought to a crisis Friday evening by the arrest of S. P. Wires, superintendent of the United States hatchery, together with other United States employees and owners and masters of the fishing tug Theora and Columbia. Warrants were sworn out by Deputy State Game Warden Brewster. In addition to the day's catch of fish the nets were seized.

Superintendent Wires pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 and costs, the other cases being temporarily dropped. Wires immediately gave notice of appeal. It is claimed by federal officials that they have a right to fish when and where they please. Whatever the decision in the circuit court, it is not doubted the case will be carried to a higher tribunal.

Washington, Nov. 9.—United States Fish Commissioner Bowers has recommended to Secretary Cortelyou that the five fish propagating stations in Michigan be closed until the disputes with the state game warden cease. Three of the stations are owned by Michigan and are operated by the government authorities. The United States fish commissioner has the support of the Michigan fish commission, but the state game warden under the laws of the state is permitted large discretion. The closing of the stations would mean the loss of this season's fry, taken from spawn, amounting to between 250,000,000 and 400,000,000 commercial food fishes.

### WILLIAM L. ELKINS DEAD.

Noted Financier's Career Closes as a Result of Blood Poisoning.

New York, Nov. 9.—William L. Elkins, master of millions and one of the noted, picturesque duo of financial giants who made the coupled names of Widener-Elkins famous for great enterprises in both Americas, in Europe and even in Africa and the far east, died Saturday night at his suburban mansion at Ashburn, near Philadelphia. He was 71 years old. Mr. Elkins was brought to his bed Monday because a tight boot that he had worn had so irritated his foot that blood poisoning was threatened. Blood poisoning developed in his limbs. By his side at the end, with tears expressing the depth and genuineness of his grief, sat his rugged life-long partner and friend, P. A. B. Widener.

William L. Elkins was a prominent figure in industrial, commercial, financial and railroad movements throughout the union. He was born May 2, 1822. Young Elkins was educated in the public schools, and when 15 became a clerk in a counting room. In 1832 he joined Peter Saybolt in the produce and shipping business, and began to deal in agricultural products. Mr. Elkins turned his attention to the oil industry, and in 1837 was one of the organizers of the Standard Oil company. Mr. Elkins was specially conspicuous in the development of street railroad systems, and brought about the organization of the Philadelphia Traction company. He was a director in the Metropolitan Traction company of New York, the West Side and North Side companies of Chicago, the Baltimore Traction company, and the Pittsburgh Traction company. He was an officer and stockholder in various other big corporations.

### TERRIBLE EXPLOSION

Children Play with Gun Which Had Contained Nitroglycerin and Four Are Killed.

Lancaster, O., Nov. 9.—Four children were instantly killed by an explosion of nitroglycerin at Buck's Run, in Hocking county, Sunday. The dead are Oscar Bohn, and Charles Bohn, aged 14 and 12; their eight-year-old sister and the nine-year-old son of Robert Conrad. The children were playing with a can which had contained nitroglycerin and it is supposed struck it with a stone. The home of the Bohns was partially wrecked. The bodies of the children were terribly mutilated.

**See Loss in Texas Cattle.**

Austin, Tex., Nov. 9.—The West Texas Stockman, an authority on live stock matters, in its latest issue, says that the total number of cattle in the state will not exceed 7,000,000 head, of which 5,000,000 are range cattle, and that the depreciation in values during the past year represents a loss of at least \$21,000,000 to Texas cattlemen. Stockmen generally believe that this estimate of 7,000,000 head of cattle in the state is too high.

**Suffers Paralytic Stroke.**

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 9.—Col. W. T. Blackwell, of Durham, was stricken with paralysis Sunday and no hope is held out for his recovery. Starting out as a poor boy, he amassed a fortune, in the manufacture of tobacco. In late years he lost his fortune. He was postmaster at Durham under President Cleveland's administration.

**Initiation Has Bad Ending.**

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 9.—Injuries received while being initiated into the Phi Psi Chi fraternity are believed to have caused the death of Marlin Low, a student in the dental department of the University of Maryland. Low was found dead in his room Sunday, and his roommate, Ephraim Stone, was lying unconscious on the floor. The bodies of both young men showed bruises, and it is admitted that both were initiated into the fraternity Saturday. The police arrested Stanley H. Smith, of St. John, N. B., president of the fraternity, on a technical charge of assault.

**Is Denied.**

Berlin, Nov. 9.—The rumor circulated in Vienna that the czar of Russia and the emperor of Germany had signed a convention for a defensive alliance in the far east should Great Britain support Japan, is declared in official circles here to be without foundation.

**Anarchist Is Deported.**

New York, Nov. 9.—Judge Larabee, of the federal court in New York, ordered the deportation of John Turner, the English anarchist, being the first application of the new law forbidding "reds" entrance here.

## Trimmings for Winter Gowns



**TRIMMINGS** form the all-important topic of conversation at the moment in all the dressmakers' salons, no self-respecting dress or costume considering itself complete without a plentiful supply of embroidery, stichery, strapings, or lace, while buttons, fringes and tassels are requisitioned to fill up the gaps. The majority of the new plain skirts will be trimmed on the sash, and not in perpendicular lines as hitherto, while gaugings are having a tremendous vogue on skirts, blouses and bodices.

Blouses, by the way, fill a large portion of the immediate horizon, in all manner of materials and in a variety of shapes. Women are availing a great predilection for blouses made of soft Japanese materials. As a rule these graceful little garments are very full and loose, with roomy, comfortable sleeves. They are most picturesque, and show up to the best advantage when worn with cream or dark blue cloth or serge skirts, being usually made of brightly colored crepon or soft tulle, with Japanese patterns and designs stamped on them. Very often white linen collars are worn with them, and then it is usual for a black satin tie to be wound round the neck and passed through straps of the blouse material from throat to waist in front, although some people prefer them quite collarless with cross-over fronts.

Sequins and jet paillettes will have a large voice in the trimming of evening dresses this winter; round steel sequins on white mousseline, chiffon, or net seem likely to divide the honors with small black paillettes on black materials of the same class. Fur is extensively used as a trimming for both dresses and costumes, even to the extent of appearing on evening dresses of the most diaphanous description. Finger-widths of ermine will be employed in this connection for those who can afford it, this already costly fur threatening to almost double itself in price this winter, owing to the enormous demand for it. Sable, too, will be ruthlessly cut up to make narrow hems and borders for the further glorification of evening frocks, which tend to overleap all previous records in point of extravagant detail, laced so as to look very much like real moleskin; this should prove itself specially commendable to the possessors of a small dress-allocation, admir-

ELLEN GEMOND

## Fashions of the Day in Paris

**LL-WHITE** hats are more than ever to the fore, and the whole white costume is very popular. For the woman who can afford a goodly supply of garments there is nothing prettier than white for the autumn and winter. Corduroy cloth and velvet in white and very pale champagne and tan shades will be two of the smartest things for early autumn wear, with the all-white hat of beaver or felt trimmed with white birds, and relieved by stoles of sable, mink or some other dark fur.

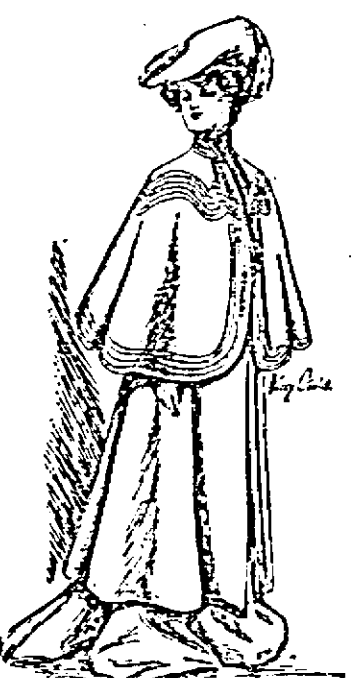
A great deal of gold and silver lace is used, and as for velvet, it occupies a foremost place in the world of smart fashions.

Broadened velvet is also used. White broadened velvet for evening wear sounds sumptuous. It is quite exquisite as a cloak lined with ermine, with a big rolled collar of the same and festoons of old lace down the front. Worth is making many of his short coats with basques, and boleros are as much in favor as ever.

Buttons, as you know, play an important part, and old quaint ornaments are all pressed into service.

Really quaint old-fashioned ruffles and narrow fur trimmings seem to be more than ever en vogue, while douncings and gaugings, platings and tickings are part and parcel of the intricacies of the couturiere's work at the moment, and tailors with their scallops, stichings and strapings are not far behind.

Millinery is remarkable for the amount of stichery and intricacy that goes to compose the best models. The goffered velvet toque is the first wintery model we have seen; of course, it is made of the new velours chiffon or chiffon velvet. This particular shape is very light and neat, and its curious



A SMART TRAVELING WRAP. In tulle cloth, lined with broad and shaggy black fur.

elongation has entirely taken the place of the round turban of last year.

I have seen an enormous pelisse just lately which takes the place of an evening wrap. It is composed of fine ivory cloth, with the shoulder pieces cut so long that they cover the arms and reach the hem of the skirt beneath. This is very simply trimmed with fringe and embroidery and a spoonful of gold galon.

ANNETTE GIVRY.

## AS TO SPANKING A BRIDE.

Has a father the right to spank his married daughter, even though she is but 15 and he does not know that she is married, and would the fact of his knowing it make any difference in his right to inflict corporal punishment?

These are the questions at present interesting the people of Nicholson, in Wyoming county, Pa., and the court has been called upon to decide them. Briefly, the facts are these:

Margaret Matilda Smith, aged 15, and Albert Ellis Clisco ran away from Nicholson on September 11, went to Washington, N. J., and there were married by a justice of the peace. A few days later the girl's father learned that she had gone away without her mother's consent. He did not know that she had been married. He

was angry, and he did as he had done in days when she was younger. He turned her over his knee and spanked her soundly.

Now this is sufficiently humiliating to a single girl, and what must it be to a wife? The bride of a few days ran to her husband weeping for consolation. He was properly and sufficiently angry, and swore out a warrant charging the father with assault and battery upon his wife. Then for the first time became known to the parents the fact that the two were married.

Two sides have been formed in the village. The young people say that the spanking was an outrage, and that no father has the right to inflict such punishment upon a girl. Old married people, on the other hand, say that the young man should have been spanked as well as the girl.



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DOINGS AT HIGH SCHOOL

(OF DOUGLAS ACADEMY)

At a meeting of the football boys Monday it was decided not to play the Ashland Highs next Saturday. This decision was reached as a result of the inability of several players of the team to continue practice due to other work which will take up their time. The record made by the football team this year as a whole can be termed fairly good although the scores do not indicate it. In every game except one they were outwheeled and that they succeeded in tying the Luskus Wausau eleven reflects to their credit. The team lacked the all-essential requisite for a good football team weight. Despite their lack of weight their showing made against superior teams is entirely favorable.

The second literary program of the school year consisting of seven numbers was held in the assembly room Friday. The papers on topics of the day, pertaining to conditions in foreign countries were very interesting and instructive. The program was as follows: Recitation, Future of the Philippines, Carl Olson; essay, A Girl of Japan, Nina Emerson; recitation, North American Indians, Winnie Foster; music, Una Reardon; essay, Puerto Rico, Una Emerson; recitation, Thirty-nine Loaves, Jennie Loveless.

Now that the football season is ended, it is expected that the boys will develop the literary branch of their society. An effort will be made to secure debates with neighboring schools, and our boys be given a chance to demonstrate their ability where mental and not physical weight is required.

At a meeting of the Girls' Literary Society Friday night the following program was given: Music, Hazel Hildebrand; debate, Resolved that co-education in college is desirable, affirmative, Grace Davis, and Stella Dillard, negative, Erna Fessel, Marsh Holland; music, Lucy Stevens.

Examinations are being held this week throughout the city schools.

The Virgil class will finish the first book of the Eclog this week.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Recorded with the Register of Deeds for Week Ending Tuesday, Nov. 11.

- Following are the real estate transfers in Oneida County for the week ending Tuesday, Nov. 11, as recorded in the office of the register of deeds:
- Edna Hotel, Ralph D. Hotel and Harry Hotel to H. H. Hotel, Laidlaw Sec. 1, Tp. 25, N. 10, E. 3, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, all in Tp. 25, N. 10, E. 3.
  - J. L. McLaughlin to H. A. Kauland, Laidlaw Sec. 1, Tp. 25, N. 10, E. 3, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, all in Tp. 25, N. 10, E. 3.
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That is all right for pins and calicoes, but hardly so when food is being purchased.

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are the questions which should be asked. Our answers to the questions are

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## HORR, The Grocer.

### Bits of Local Gossip

H. Lewis, the one-price clothier, leads them all.  
Elbert Stata was in Antigo this week.  
O. O. Little of Stevens Point is in town today.  
John Kampe was down from Mercer the last of the week.  
H. L. Roe of North Cranston did business in our city last Friday.  
Jno. Byrnes of Antigo was up over Sunday for a visit among friends.  
Robert A. Douglas of Ironwood was at the Fuller House Saturday.  
A. A. Ted of Green Bay was registered at the Rapids House Monday.  
Dr. G. G. Bellis and W. R. Doherty of Jeffris were in the city Saturday.  
J. M. O'Brien was down from Harley on a short business trip Monday.  
W. S. Wright was down from Lac du Flambeau on business Thursday.  
Dry 16 inch and 4 foot soft wood for sale. Inquire of Ernest Henning, 153 Attorney and Mrs. N. A. Colman of Eagle River were in the city Thursday.  
Miss Emma Bold of Antigo was the guest of Rhinelander friends Sunday.  
H. C. Braeger went south Friday morning in the interests of the Rhinelander Paper Co.  
Miss Fern Laton left Friday for her home in Neenah, after a three weeks' visit here.  
John Gorman of Manitowish, Mich., and Frank Hubbard of Gladstone, were in Rhinelander last Friday and Saturday.  
James Trumbull went down to Antigo this week where he will spend about one month working at the reason's trade.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kelley of Stevens Point attended the funeral of their nephew, George Moore, in this city Tuesday. Mr. Kelley is one of Stevens Point's leading furniture men.

J. P. Hansen, the leading clothier in Rhinelander.  
J. H. Wooden and wife were here from Jeffris Sunday.  
M. Hiral of Eagle River was noted on our streets last Thursday.  
Miss Ethel Annis departed Sunday night on a visit to Milwaukee.  
Attorney Reed of Merrill is attending court in Rhinelander this week.  
Miss Laura Arnold of Woodruff was here on a shopping trip last Friday.  
Claude Cole of Elcho accompanied the football boys to Merrill last Saturday.  
Miss Fannie Danwille of Star Lake is visiting friends in the city this week.  
Elbert Wyman, the Cranston real estate man, did business in the city last Thursday.  
Mike Glass took orders for cigars at Monks and Pelican Lake Friday and Saturday.  
Prof. F. A. Lowell accompanied the High school football team to Merrill Saturday.  
James Morgan looked after the interests of Armour & Co. at Eagle River last Thursday.  
C. B. W. Ryckman has engaged in the real estate business in connection with his law practice.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Sutcliffe of Woodruff were in Rhinelander during the latter part of last week.  
Fred Hoffman of Green Bay spent last Friday in the city visiting with his friend, Charles Cricklyer.  
John O'Hare has gone back to Lac du Flambeau to resume his position in the filling room in the Flambeau Lumber Co.'s mill.  
Colon Hutchinson has been making his headquarters in Rhinelander during the week. He is breaking on a North-Western work train.  
Harry Briggs, bookkeeper for Harlan Bros. at Manitowish, was in the city during the first of the week being woodsmen and looking after other business matters for his firm.

W. D. Herick of Minocqua was a city caller yesterday.  
Keep in mind the Thanksgiving masquerade, Nov. 25th.  
Jas. Rice of Stevens Point was a Rhinelander visitor Tuesday.  
See "Arizona" at the Grand opera house Tuesday night, Nov. 21.  
Miss Mae Hoy of Woodruff was here on a shopping mission last Friday.  
Mrs. John Brogan of Lac du Flambeau was here Sunday. She came down to attend church services.  
Fred Coffey and Francis Napoleon went north Tuesday afternoon to spend several days deer hunting.  
John Sorenson, an old citizen of Elcho, was here Saturday transacting business at the Court House.  
Abner Conroy, Sr., returned recently from a visit of eight days at Milwaukee and his former home in Oshkosh.  
William Stevens spent the latter part of last week at Eagle River and vicinity looking after his logging interests.  
Master Joe Daniels went to New London last Thursday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Sterling.  
Henry Chatterton accompanied the High school football boys to Merrill last Saturday.  
Henry Chace was down from his homestead this week purchasing supplies. He reports deer plentiful up in his vicinity.  
Antoine Rheanne, who is working for the Vener Company at Carver, was down over Sunday visiting his family.  
T. J. Anders of Stevens Point was here a couple of days during the latter part of the week looking after his land business.  
The many friends in Rhinelander of John Cahill will be pleased to learn of his recent recovery from a severe attack of typhoid fever. He had been ill for several weeks at the home of his brother in Ashland.

Ernest Binder of Monks was in the city Sunday.  
Ray Irish ready at the Kandy Kitchen and it won't hurt the little ones.

Pat McDermott went last Friday and part of Saturday on business at Antigo.

James O'Leary of Tomahawk has been over this week transacting legal business.

C. A. Carling has returned from a business visit of several days in Minneapolis.

A girl was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Harry LaVoy, north side residents.

John Egan, in the employ of Brown Bros. at Star Line, is spending the week here.

P. Shay was here from Armstrong Creek looking after business transactions last Friday.

Attorney John VanHecke of Merrill is in the city this week in attendance at circuit court.

Come quick! Today! Rummage sale at Prosser's old gallery, November 15th, 16th and 17th.

Miss Emily Barton was in from her school in the town of Newbold and spent Sunday with friends.

Mrs. T. Helgeson of Lo'a, Waupaca county, is the guest of her son, E. Helgeson, on the north side.

Senator D. E. Hordon was over from the Vilas county seat shaking hands with his friends Tuesday.

M. W. Lloyd went up into Vilas county Tuesday on business for the Land, Log & Lumber Company.

Miss Maud Matteson and brother Harold are in Minneapolis visiting their sister, Mrs. Edward Smith.

Barney Moran came home the first of the week from a few days' business trip to the south of the state.

Albert Mayhew of Lac du Flambeau one of the Flambeau Lumber Co.'s head employees, was in town Saturday.

Miss Nellie Brazell is in from Jeffris spending the week with her aunt, Miss Margaret Brazell, at the Alpine Hotel.

Barney Burkhalter was out last week on business for Silverthorne & Co. in the vicinity of Wausau and Mosinee.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Owen were in from their homestead purchasing a stock of supplies and greeting friends Saturday.

Wm. Elkin, who has been working for the Arpla Lumber Company at Bruce, returned to the city Thursday evening.

A card social which met with a good attendance was given Friday evening in St. Mary's school hall by the Catholic ladies.

Miss Ada Mellae, who is teaching this year in the schools at Manitowish, was here visiting at her home Saturday and Sunday.

O. N. Hacklerod of Antigo, a prominent young C. & N. W. railroad man, spent several days of the present week in Rhinelander.

E. H. Halsey, traveling auditor for the "Soo" line, was in the city a few days of last week checking up accounts at the local station.

Walter McNeil of Kilbourn City, the general representative of the Simmonds Hardware Co. of St. Louis, was in Rhinelander Tuesday.

Flint Stones is doing the clerking and meat cutting for E. C. Vessey & Son. He was formerly employed by the concern as deliveryman.

Charles Stevens and wife left for Conover Monday near where Mr. Stevens will have charge of the Stevens Lumber Company's camp.

Archie Melrose will operate another camp this winter about one-half mile west of Carver. His crew will number about twenty-five men.

St. Mary's church, Sunday services: Low Mass and Communion, 8:00 a. m.; High Mass, 10:00 a. m.; Vespers, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. Fr. P. Schmitt pastor.

Robert Young, driver of the American Express Company's wagon, is spending the week at his home in Chili, this state. Leo Barnes is working in his place.

M. F. Doyle of Minocqua, the well known logger and land dealer, was in Rhinelander transacting business last Saturday. He was accompanied by his little daughter.

Pumpster Cole, who has supervision over the grocery department at Spafford & Cole's store, was numbered among the sick this week. Neuralgia was the complaint.

Mrs. C. E. Roberts, San Francisco, Cal.: Would not be without Rocky Mountain Tea in our house. It's a great family remedy. Makes and keeps us well. J. J. Reardon.

R. J. Riley was down from Minocqua Saturday. Mr. Riley is one of Vilas county's leading land men and loggers. He will operate on a large scale this winter in the vicinity of Monks.

Thomas Goodell of Waupaca county arrived this week for a visit with his brother, W. F. Goodell, in the town of Newbold. He brought his rifle with him and will remain during the deer hunting season.

Brown Brothers Lumber Co. have decided to engage more extensively in the retail trade and will be glad to furnish estimates on all bills for houses, barns, etc. Those desiring to build will find it worth while to call on them. 44-02-012

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## Underwear

SEAL LINED—Women's finest quality Cotton underwear in natural gray with pure white thick fleecing. Vests and pants 50c Each.....

UNION SUITS—Seal lined union suits for boys and girls. Each suit..... 50c

Men's heavy ribbed elastic knit wool fleeced underwear in natural gray—regular dollar grades—shirts and drawers each..... 75c

## Women's Jackets

SATURDAY we shall show some especially fine new coats. Visit our Department Saturday.

## Flannels

Oriental flannellettes—extra heavy and very choice fabrics for Kimonos, Dressing Scaques, Wrappers etc. Should be sold at 25c Price on 100 yards only..... 18c

Wool mixed Saiting—especially for school suits, all good fall colors and designs, 25 inches wide, 15c per yard only.....

## FURS

The Largest Stock of RICH FINE BLACK FURS  
Black fur coats, yard and a half long..... 5.00  
Fine black sable Opossum scarfs, Two yards long, each..... 9.50  
Fur coats, 15 inches long, with six tips, each..... 3.50

## SHOES

This is the Shoe outfitting place for at least half of the women and children of Rhinelander. Come to the busy Shoe Department. Yourself or children expertly and properly fitted. No hurry when you get here—take your time to examine the styles and assortments.

SPECIAL—(You will need this kind soon) 200 pairs of women's felt and warm lined leather soled shoes, many styles and nearly all sizes, some broad and comfortable, others with kid foxing and patent leather tips, regular \$1.75 and 2.50 shoes divided into two lots.  
Lot 1, pair, \$1 Lot 2, pair 1.98

## Queen Quality

School Shoes for girls, the newest and best school shoe made..... 3.00

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## FRESH AND SALT MEATS, FISH AND GAME.

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If wanting anything in our line we can please you both as to price and quality of goods. Retail office and yard down town.

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And in fact everything usually handled in a retail lumber yard. Everything delivered promptly free of charge. Order by

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## Reardon's White Pine Cough Balsam 25 and 50c

CURES COUGHS in old or young.

## Don't Experiment With Patent Medicines

Special Notice to the Public—Nearly every Drug Store in the Northwest is selling imitations of Reardon's White Pine. Look for the manufacturer's name and reject imitations.

If you live in any of the small towns adjacent to Rhinelander send me for your drug wants. All orders shipped on first train. Two-cent stamps accepted in cash for mail orders.

## J. J. REARDON, Druggist.

RHINELANDER, WIS.

## CHILDREN'S COATS

### All sizes

The discount we gave on LADIES COATS moved them fast and as there are but few left those who want bargains should call at once.

## Two Ladies' Nearseal Fur Coats, \$50 Garments

Sizes 34 and 38, now \$35.00 each.

## SOLBERG & KOLDIEN.

# The Store That Saves You Money

We undoubtedly must be selling at Lower Prices than any other dealer in town as anyone can see that we are doing the BIGGEST BUSINESS in Men's and Boys' wearing apparel. Here are a few facts which go to show that it is to your advantage to trade here:

**We Buy for Cash and therefore receive big discounts. We handle strictly reliable goods. Our prices are the smallest. We treat all the best we know how. Strictly One Price to all.**

Using the people right by giving them the best goods obtainable at the lowest possible prices is what is making this the busiest store in town.

The season is now on when nearly everyone needs something for winter, by buying it here you will find that you will be satisfied with the quality of the goods and the price.

Warm Overcoats at Prices that make other dealers' prices cold.

We carry a full line of Lumbermen's Supplies.

## The Buck Clothing Co.

Hinman Building, 16 W. Davenport St., RHINELANDER, WIS.



HALF A CENTURY  
TOWER'S garments and  
hats are made of the best  
materials in black or yellow  
for all kinds of wet work.  
SATISFACTION IS GUARANTEED IF YOU STICK  
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The regular price of the the Daily Tribune has always been and will continue to be \$4.00 per year.

### Council Proceedings.

(Official Publication.)

The regular meeting of the common council held on the 3rd day of November, 1905.

Meeting duly called to order by the Honorable Mayor, Fred. A. Harney, at 9 o'clock p. m. Roll call. The following members were present: Bock, Barnes, Divers, Goyette, Johnson, Olson, Roepcke, Swedberg and Stumpfer. Minutes of last regular meeting was read and approved as read.

The following petition was read: TO THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RHINELANDER. GENTLEMEN:—I hereby respectfully petition you for a permit to erect an addition to my building, to be used as a wood shed, situate about 10x14 ft., one story high, flat roof building, valued as not to exceed \$75.00 on lot 15, Block 15, original plat to Rhineland, signed F. H. ROEPCKE.

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### FALLING FROM ALOFT.

Particulars of the fall of a man from a building at this place. "One of the wonders of seafaring life," writes Charles Frothingham in "Life in the Mercantile Marine," is the singularly small proportion of sailors who meet with death or accident by falling from aloft. Whether or no the sailor who is supposed to sit aloft and watch over poor Jack is responsible for it I am not prepared to say, but the fact remains.

"Having to tumble up aloft at all hours and in all weathers to perform acrobatic feats that would almost puzzle a monkey, the saying among sailors about 'hanging on by the eyebrows' becomes almost a truism.

"One would think the situation was highly spiced enough by danger without needlessly increasing it. Yet it is not altogether an uncommon thing to see a man, if he happens to be barefooted, run out along the yard in preference to using the footrope placed under it for the purpose, to reach what is a post of honor, the weather carrying.

"In spite of all this, although not knowing the actual percentage, I make bold to say that not more than one sailor man in hundreds is killed or injured by falling from aloft. If I use my own experience as a base, the proportion would be less, for in over twenty years of sea life I was never caught the pain of witnessing such a catastrophe.

Parents as Teachers.

Of all the teaching in the world ninety-nine one-hundredths at least is done by fathers and mothers. Every child learns more in the way of actual facts from the day of its birth until the end of its seventh year than it can possibly learn in all the rest of its life put together. During these first hours and years of life the child learns to walk, to talk, and what is far more important, it learns the beginnings of self control. During the first years the child puts itself in touch with the world into which it is born, and in these early years the parents, and the mother especially, are the teachers. They start the operations of the mind, giving it its first lesson. And however able the teachers of the future may be, however conscientious and learned, in the great majority of cases, the child's future, its success or failure, depends upon the first teaching influences of the mother and father—New York American.

A Live Oak Tree.

The bride was fair and slight and the bridegroom was dark and stalwart. They made a most interesting pair, and the people on the long distance train who had watched them more or less openly from San Francisco were cheered by the sight of a flower of rice which fell out of the bride's parasol two days later.

The bridegroom saw the smiles, and putting his arm round his blushing wife, he faced the careful of friendly strangers.

"I reckon there's no need for me to say we haven't been married long," he announced in full chest tones, "but I can tell you one thing. You don't want to smile any more than I do, for she's a violet and I'm her sheltering oak, and I weigh 200 pounds."

A Quaint Examination.

Silence, it appears, is an unknown quantity at a divinity examination in Maryland. The commencement is signalled by the clashing of cymbals and the beating of drums. While the candidates are writing their answers they are surrounded by a jabbering crowd, who pass audible remarks about what is being done. The test lasts ten days, and the people make the examination the occasion for gaiety, feeding the candidates, and cart loads of provisions of all sorts find their way to the pagoda precincts, and bar-mans from every quarter go round collecting money to provide the competitors with the necessities of life and luxuries as well—Baltimore Times.

The Death of Mark Antony.

Mark Antony gave the world for a woman's love, but found himself so poorly compensated by the exchange that in desperation at the approach of Octavius and being informed that Cleopatra was endeavoring to make terms for herself by surrendering him, he stabbed himself with his dagger. Being revived, he received the message sent by Cleopatra that she desired to see him. He was carried to her place of refuge. Cleopatra and her maids raised him by ropes to the window of the tower where the fallen queen found her last home. He was lifted in and died in her arms.

Perillousities of Fish.

There are two popular delusions about fish—one that they cannot live out of water and the other that they can live in any pure water, the food supply taking care of itself. As a matter of fact, there are fish in Africa which, having to exist in absolutely dry rivers for a portion of the year, have developed lungs, while in many a man's aquarium fish cannot live in the water provided owing to lack of food—London Field.

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worth of pig iron last year.

The banking capital of New York

city has been doubled within five

years.

Seven hundred automobiles, worth

\$20,000,000, are licensed in the State

of New York.

Russian officers have been forbidden

to hold any sort of intercourse with

Servian officers.

An over turned live of bees stopped

traffic for several hours on a road near

Neuchatel, Switzerland.

At a New Jersey baseball game a

flash of lightning passed the umpire

and struck the grand stand.

One out of two workmen in Eng-

land who reaches the age of 65 dies a

pauper and is buried at the poor

house.

The duchess of Marlborough be-

lieves in physical training for children,

and her two sons undergo daily in-

struction.

Kilkenny Castle is one of the oldest

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of the rooms being much as they were

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